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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS
PUBLIC AUCTION
TOMORROW
(THURSDAY), 27th April, 1899,
Commencing at 9 P.M.,
at the Sales Room, 20th Street, No. 2,
of
LADIES' AND GENTS' BOOTS AND SHOES, TENNIS SHOES, &c., and a large stock of BRUSHES, HAIR

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION
No. 233.
THE following Particulars of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on TUESDAY, the 2nd day of May, 1899, at 3 P.M., are published for general information.
By Command,
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, 15th April, 1899.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Lot.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Area in Acres.	Area in Square Feet.	Annual Rental.	Rate per Acre.
1.	Lot 1, Block 1, District 1.	100 ft. by 100 ft.	1.00	10,000	\$100.00	\$100.00
2.	Lot 2, Block 1, District 1.	100 ft. by 100 ft.	1.00	10,000	\$100.00	\$100.00

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI.
THE Company's Steamship
"HAIKONG,"
Captain Robinson, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 27th instant, DAYLIGHT.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARSEN & CO.,
General Managers,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

THE Steamship
"CHARTERHOUSE,"
Captain H. J. Smith, will be despatched for the above port TO-MORROW, the 27th inst., at 10 A.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO.,
Agents,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

THE Steamship
"LYEEMOON,"
Captain G. H. Hume, will be despatched for the above port on FRIDAY, the 28th inst., at 4 P.M.
This Steamer has superior accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers, and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & CO.,
Agents,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

THE Steamship
"HEILBERG,"
Captain Scholander, will be despatched for the above ports on or about the 28th inst.
This Steamer has superior accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers, and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & CO.,
Agents,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

THE Steamship
"CHANG,"
Captain Deley, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 1st day of May.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.
THE Company's Steamship
"KUSANG,"
Captain Bradley, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 2nd day of May, at 1 P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
General Managers,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Company's Steamship
"GRACIOUS,"
Captain Barwise, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 2nd day of May.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

THE Steamship
"THORNHILL,"
Captain J. Anson, having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send their bills of lading for consignment to the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery from alongside.
An Cargo impounding her discharge will be handed into the Customs of the Hongkong and Kowloon Customs, and will be stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
This Steamer has been in collision with the French steamer "MALVINA" off Aigues, in consequence of which an average bond has to be signed by the Consignees before taking delivery of the Cargo.
SIEMSEN & CO.,
Agents,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS
INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.
THE Company's Steamship
"KUSANG,"
having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside.
Cargo impounding the discharge or remaining on board after Noon, the 27th inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godown at East Point.
No Fire Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
General Managers,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
FROM PENANG AND SINGAPORE.
THE Steamship
"CHARTERHOUSE,"
having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside.
Cargo impounding the discharge or remaining on board after 1 P.M. of the 26th inst. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godown of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO.,
Agents,
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

THE TENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE DISTRICT GRAND CHAPTER OF HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA
will be held at MASONG HALL TO-NIGHT (WEDNESDAY), the 26th instant, at 8.30 for 9 P.M.
All Royal Arch Masons are cordially invited to attend.
A. O. D. GOURDIN,
D. G. Scribe, E.
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

WANTED.
An Englishman, 26, desirous of employment. Competent to take charge of Office or Store. No objection to Philippine or other ports. Excellent references.
Address
"ALPHA,"
Care of Office of this Paper.
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

THE HOISING OF THE FLAG
at Kowloon City by
H. E. LADY BLAKE.
THE ONLY PHOTOGRAPH
taken of this historical event can be had from Messrs. H. E. LADY BLAKE & CO.,
Hongkong, 24th April, 1899.

NATIONAL ASSURANCE COMPANY OF IRELAND.
ESTABLISHED 1822.
CAPITAL £1,000,000
FUNDS (over) 500,000
The Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.
R. A. DECKE & CO.,
Agents,
Hongkong, 19th September, 1898.

NOTICE OF FIRMS
THE MUTUAL STORE.
MR. H. J. GYDER has this day been appointed Manager and is authorized to sign for the Firm. All cheques are to be made PAYABLE to the Mutual Store and must be countersigned by Mr. LO SIU PING or Mr. LEUNG TAT CHUEN before payment is made.
Hongkong, 26th April, 1899.

THE EQUIVALENT LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE U.S.
MR. FERDINAND KIENE has this day assumed charge of the South China Branch.
By Order of the General Manager for the East,
W. H. TALBOT,
Sub-Manager,
Hongkong, 17th April, 1899.

WE have this day established ourselves as MERCHANTS and COMMISSION AGENTS.
T. RAUCHENSTEIN & CO.,
13, Bonaventure Arcade,
Hongkong, 19th April, 1899.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
DURING my absence from the Colony Mr. A. S. GARBIT has been appointed Acting Secretary.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
W. H. DAY,
Secretary,
Hongkong, 25th April, 1899.

PHOTOGRAPHY.
NEW FIRST-CLASS STUDIO.
MR. YEA has the pleasure to announce that, owing to the great increase in his business, he finds his studio in Avenue Street too small, and he has now opened in addition thereto a new one in BEAUFORT AVENUE, fitted with ALL THE NEWEST AND VERY BEST APPLIANCES.
Hongkong, 18th April, 1899.

COTTAM & CO.
FOR
THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN GENTLEMEN'S HOSIERY.
BUCHANAN'S
HOUSE OF COMMONS WHISKY
AND
BUCHANAN'S BLEND WHISKY.
\$15.00 and \$13.00 per dozen.
JANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been appointed Sole Agents for these celebrated brands of Whiskies.
FREE SAMPLES ON APPLICATION.

ENTERTAINMENTS
A SPECIAL CHORAL SERVICE
will be held
in
ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL,
ON
TUESDAY, the 2nd May, 1899,
at 5.30 P.M.,
when
Stainer's Sacred Cantata,
"THE DAUGHTER OF JAIROS,"
Mendelssohn's Motet
(for Soprano Solo and Chorus)
"HAIL MY PRINCE," and
"THE EVEREST HYMN" from the "GOLDEN LEGEND," will be sung.
Soloists:
Mrs. L. WILSON, Miss MURRAY BAIN,
Mr. G. P. LAMBERT, Mr. E. M. MOW,
Mr. CRISPIN.
Organist—Mr. G. GRIMBLE.
Conductor—Mr. G. W. B. B. B.
By the kindness of Colonel MAINTWAIN and OFFICERS, several Members of the Band of the K.W.V. will assist.
The Cathedral Choir has been specially augmented for the occasion.
Hongkong, 21st April, 1899.

SIMON'S GRAND MUSEUM
POSITIVELY THE LAST WEEK.
Admission only 39 cents.
Soldiers and Sailors (in Uniform) and Children under 12 years, 20 cents.
Don't miss this opportunity.
Hongkong, 25th April, 1899.

COLD STORAGE.
THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED, is now prepared to receive perishable provisions for Cold Storage at EAST POINT at Moderate Rates.
W. L. PARLANE,
Manager,
Hongkong, 17th February 1899.

PUBLIC COMPANIES
GREAT EASTERN AND CALEDONIAN GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.
ISSUE OF 70,000 PREFERENCE SHARES OF \$1 EACH, FULLY PAID.
NOTICE is hereby given that an issue of 70,000 PREFERENCE SHARES of One Dollar each in the above Company will be made on the 5th MAY, 1899, and that holders of Ordinary Shares of the Company on the 28th April, 1899, will be entitled to one Preference Share for each Ordinary Share held by them.
And NOTICE is also hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 23rd April to 5th May, inclusive.
LUTGENS, BINSTAMANN & CO.,
General Agents,
Hongkong, 13th April, 1899.

A. S. WATSON & CO. LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that the FOURTEENTH ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company (since its registration) will be held in the Board Room at the HONGKONG DISPENSARY on MONDAY, the 8th May proximo, at Twelve o'clock Noon for the purpose of receiving the report of the General Manager together with a Statement of Account to the 31st December, 1898.
The Register of Shares will be CLOSED from Monday, the 1st May, until Wednesday, the 10th May, and on the 1st day, inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.
By Order
A. H. MANCILL,
Secretary,
Hongkong, 22nd April, 1899.

NOTICE.
THE CERTIFICATES for 49 Shares numbered 3,157, 3,158, 3,159, 3,160, 3,161, 3,162, 3,163, 3,164, 3,165, 3,166, 3,167, 3,168, 3,169, 3,170, 3,171, 3,172, 3,173, 3,174, 3,175, 3,176, 3,177, 3,178, 3,179, 3,180, 3,181, 3,182, 3,183, 3,184, 3,185, 3,186, 3,187, 3,188, 3,189, 3,190, 3,191, 3,192, 3,193, 3,194, 3,195, 3,196, 3,197, 3,198, 3,199, 3,200, 3,201, 3,202, 3,203, 3,204, 3,205, 3,206, 3,207, 3,208, 3,209, 3,210, 3,211, 3,212, 3,213, 3,214, 3,215, 3,216, 3,217, 3,218, 3,219, 3,220, 3,221, 3,222, 3,223, 3,224, 3,225, 3,226, 3,227, 3,228, 3,229, 3,230, 3,231, 3,232, 3,233, 3,234, 3,235, 3,236, 3,237, 3,238, 3,239, 3,240, 3,241, 3,242, 3,243, 3,244, 3,245, 3,246, 3,247, 3,248, 3,249, 3,250, 3,251, 3,252, 3,253, 3,254, 3,255, 3,256, 3,257, 3,258, 3,259, 3,260, 3,261, 3,262, 3,263, 3,264, 3,265, 3,266, 3,267, 3,268, 3,269, 3,270, 3,271, 3,272, 3,273, 3,274, 3,275, 3,276, 3,277, 3,278, 3,279, 3,280, 3,281, 3,282, 3,283, 3,284, 3,285, 3,286, 3,287, 3,288, 3,289, 3,290, 3,291, 3,292, 3,293, 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3,723, 3,724, 3,725, 3,726, 3,727, 3,728, 3,729, 3,730, 3,731, 3,732, 3,733, 3,734, 3,735, 3,736, 3,737, 3,738, 3,739, 3,740, 3,741, 3,742, 3,743, 3,744, 3,745, 3,746, 3,747, 3,748, 3,749, 3,750, 3,751, 3,752, 3,753, 3,754, 3,755, 3,756, 3,757, 3,758, 3,759, 3,760, 3,761, 3,762, 3,763, 3,764, 3,765, 3,766, 3,767, 3,768, 3,769, 3,770, 3,771, 3,772, 3,773, 3,774, 3,775, 3,776, 3,777, 3,778, 3,779, 3,780, 3,781, 3,782, 3,783, 3,784, 3,785, 3,786, 3,787, 3,788, 3,789, 3,790, 3,791, 3,792, 3,793, 3,794, 3,795, 3,796, 3,797, 3,798, 3,799, 3,800, 3,801, 3,802, 3,803, 3,804, 3,805, 3,806, 3,807, 3,808, 3,809, 3,810, 3,811, 3,812, 3,813, 3,814, 3,815, 3,816, 3,817, 3,818, 3,819, 3,820, 3,821, 3,822, 3,823, 3,824, 3,825, 3,826, 3,827, 3,828, 3,829, 3,830, 3,831, 3,832, 3,833, 3,834, 3,835, 3,836, 3,837, 3,838, 3,839, 3,840, 3,841, 3,842, 3,843, 3,844, 3,845, 3,846, 3,847, 3,848, 3,849, 3,850, 3,851, 3,852, 3,853, 3,854, 3,855, 3,856, 3,857, 3,858, 3,859, 3,860, 3,861, 3,862, 3,863, 3,864, 3,865, 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AUCTIONS PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Hon. the Secretary of the Public Auction, to sell by Public Auction, TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), the 27th April, 1899, at 11 A.M., at ARMY ORDANCE STORES, Queen's Road East, the following:
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HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers,
Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1149]

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Public Auction, to sell by Public Auction, TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), the 27th April, 1899, at 2.30 P.M., at BURLINGTON, a QUANTITY OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, AND A COTTAGE PIANO (in good condition). (Full particulars can be seen from Catalogue.) On View from Wednesday, the 26th April, 1899. Terms—As Auctioneers.
GEO. P. LAMBERT,
Auctioneer,
Hongkong, 22nd April, 1899. [1135]

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Public Auction, to sell by Public Auction, TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), the 27th April, 1899, at 2.30 P.M., on the premises, Very Valuable BUILDING GROUND, situated at KOWLOON POINT, and registered in the Land Office at 229, Remaining Portion of KOWLOON INLAND LOT 404 and KOWLOON INLAND LOT 405.
For Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to
B. J. DENNIS, Esq.,
Solicitor,
The Supreme Court House, or to the Undersigned,
HUGHES & HOUGH,
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Hongkong, 22nd April, 1899. [1136]

PUBLIC AUCTION

VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, OIL PAINTINGS, ENGRAVINGS, IVORIES, CURIOS, &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Public Auction, to sell by Public Auction, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 28th April, 1899, at 11 A.M., at No. 69, Wyndham Street, THE WHOLE OF THE VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising:

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MR. GEO. P. LAMBERT has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at his Office in Dundas Street, THURSDAY, the 25th May, 1899, at 2.30 P.M., in different lots, the following: VALUABLE LEASEHOLD RECLAMATION PROPERTY, viz. 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